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## FINAL PRICE REDUCTIONS ON OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF READY-MADE GARMENTS MEANS ITS IMMEDIATE EXIT

One of the strong features of this sale is the choiceness of the merchandise, correct ideas and styles. Every garment or suit offered in this sale is desirable and in many instances at a mere trifle of the actual cost. When we announce our Fall opening not a dollar's worth of summer merchandise must be in the house. Such is our unchanging policy---adhered to more strictly this season than ever.

### PARASOLS Reduced 1-2

They're Silks, Linen, Hand-Embroidered Styles, Lace Effects, Embroidered Parasols, Black and White Plaid, Plain Colors, Polka Dots and Coin Spot Effects ranging in price from 50c to \$6.50. Also a complete line of Children's Parasols. All the above reduced to



Half Price

### BIG SAVINGS ON STAPLES

All Fancy Calicoes, worth 7½c, now.....	5c
Peppermill 10-4 Bleached Sheeting, worth 32½c now.....	28c
Foxcraft 10-4 Bleached Sheeting, worth 27½c now.....	23c
Good as Gold 4-4 Bleached soft finished, 10c.....	8½c
Old Faithful 4-4 Bleached soft finished, 9c.....	7c
Inez 4-4 Brown, worth 10c.....	8c
Easley 4-4 Brown, worth 8c.....	6½c
Keswick heavy shirting, worth 10c.....	8½c

### MEN'S UNDERWEAR

\$ .25 Undershirts, special price this sale.....	.21
.35 Undershirts, special price this sale.....	.28
.50 Undershirts, special price this sale.....	.39
.75 Undershirts, special price this sale.....	.63
1.00 Undershirts, special price this sale.....	.84
Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers to match.....	
50c Stretchy Seam drawers, special.....	.39c

### BIG VALUES IN MEN'S, AND BOYS' SUMMER CLOTHING AND PANTS

The best thing about this sale is that you do your own figuring. Look at the plainly marked price and TAKE OFF 25 PER CENT.

Pay \$ .94 for Suits marked \$1.25.....	keep \$ .31
Pay 1.12 for Suits marked 1.50.....	keep .38
Pay 1.50 for Suits marked 2.00.....	keep .50
Pay 1.87 for Suits marked 2.50.....	keep .63
Pay 2.22 for Suits marked 3.00.....	keep .75
Pay 2.62 for Suits marked 3.50.....	keep .88
Pay 3.00 for Suits marked 4.00.....	keep 1.00
Pay 3.75 for Suits marked 5.00.....	keep 1.25
Pay 4.50 for Suits marked 6.00.....	keep 1.50
Pay 6.00 for Suits marked 8.00.....	keep 2.00
Pay 7.50 for Suits marked 10.00.....	keep 2.50
Pay 9.00 for Suits marked 12.00.....	keep 3.00
Pay 11.25 for Suits marked 15.00.....	keep 3.75
Pay 13.50 for Suits marked 18.00.....	keep 4.50
Pay 15.00 for Suits marked 20.00.....	keep 5.00

### A BONAFIDE DISCOUNT OF 25 Per Cent on all Laces and Embroideries

and on all Ladies' and Misses' Neckwear, Ladies' and Misses' Belts, Ladies' Shell Back and Side Combs, Ladies' Purses, Shopping Bags and Fans.

### Lace Curtains, Portiers, Bedspreads

Table Covers, Rugs and Art Squares at 25 per cent off during this sale.

\$1.00 qualities all go at.....	.75
1.50 qualities all go at.....	1.15
2.00 qualities all go at.....	1.50
3.00 qualities all go at.....	2.25
4.00 qualities all go at.....	3.00
5.00 qualities all go at.....	3.75
7.50 qualities all go at.....	5.63

### Summer Dress Goods and Silks

A great assortment—greater reductions.

All 10c values, this sale.....	7c
All 12½c values, this sale.....	9c
All 15c values, this sale.....	11c
All 20c values, this sale.....	16c
All 25c values, this sale.....	18c
All 30c values, this sale.....	23c
All 35c values, this sale.....	27c
All 40c values, this sale.....	31c
All 45c values, this sale.....	36c
All 50c values, this sale.....	39c
All 60c values, this sale.....	47c
All 65c values, this sale.....	49c
All 75c values, this sale.....	58c
All 90c values, this sale.....	69c
All \$1.00 values, this sale.....	79c
All 1.25 values, this sale.....	98c

### Clean Sweep of all Odd and End Lots Shoes and Slippers

\$1.00 and \$1.35 kinds to go at.....	.98c
1.75 and 2.00 kinds to go at.....	\$1.33
2.25 and 2.50 kinds to go at.....	1.90
2.75 and 3.00 kinds to go at.....	2.23
3.50 and 4.00 kinds to go at.....	2.99
4.50 and 5.00 kinds to go at.....	3.77

### Savings on Matting

One-Fourth off Regular Prices.	
20c values.....	15c
25c values.....	19c
30c values.....	22c
35c values.....	27c
40c values.....	30c
45c values.....	33c
50c values.....	38c

### Ladies' Plain and Emb. Handkerchiefs

5c values on sale at.....	3c
10c values on sale at.....	6c
12½c values on sale at.....	9c
15c values on sale at.....	11c
20c values on sale at.....	15c
25c values on sale at.....	19c
30c values on sale at.....	24c
35c values on sale at.....	29c
40c values on sale at.....	33c
50c values on sale at.....	41c

### Ladies' and Misses' Ready-to-Wear Apparel

Such as Skirts, Underskirts, Shirtwaists, Suits, and Muslin Underwear.	
50c garments now only.....	38c
65c garments now only.....	49c
\$1.00 garments now only.....	75c
1.25 garments now only.....	94c
1.50 garments now only.....	\$1.12
2.00 garments now only.....	1.50
2.50 garments now only.....	1.88
3.00 garments now only.....	2.25
4.50 garments now only.....	3.38
5.00 garments now only.....	3.75
6.00 garments now only.....	4.50
7.50 garments now only.....	5.63
9.00 garments now only.....	6.75

### SPECIAL GROCERY SALE

Standard Granulated Sugar, 17 pounds for \$1.00	
Schmitt & Steinhardt's Selection Flour, per barrel in sacks.....	5.75
Golden Gate Flour, per barrel in sacks.....	5.75
Choice Peaberry Green Coffee, 7 lbs. for.....	1.00
Choice Rio Green Coffee, 8 lbs. for.....	1.00
Fancy Rio Green Coffee, 7 lbs. for.....	1.00
25c Extra Standard Calif. Peaches, Pears and Apricots, No. 3s.....	can 19c

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### BIG SAVINGS ON GLASSWARE

4-piece Glass Sets, worth 1.00.....	83c
4-piece Glass Sets, worth 85c.....	72c
4-piece Glass Sets, worth 75c.....	63c
4-piece Glass Sets, worth 50c.....	39c
4-piece Glass Sets, worth 35c.....	23c
Glass Water Tumblers, 5c.....	3c
25c Fancy Glass Fruit Bowls.....	19c
35c Fancy Glass Fruit Bowls.....	27c
40c Fancy Glass Fruit Bowls.....	29c
45c Fancy Glass Fruit Stands.....	37c
50c Fancy Glass Fruit Stands.....	39c
5c Fancy Glass Fruit Saucers.....	3c
10c Fancy Glass Fruit Saucers.....	6c
25c Fancy Glass Cream Pitchers.....	19c

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SATURDAY, AUGUST 13, 1910.

## Official Program

Of the Texas Dry Farming Congress,  
Second Annual Session, Eagle Pass,  
August 17, 18 and 19, 1910:

FIRST SESSION—AUGUST 17.

Orchestra; 8:30 p. m.—Convention called to order by G. A. Martin of El Paso, President of the Texas Dry Farming Congress.

Invocation, Rev. Chas. B. Cross of Eagle Pass.

Address of Welcome, Hon. John R. Sanford, President of Eagle Pass Industrial League.

Response on Behalf of Visitors and Delegates, Dr. Benjamin F. Berkeley of Alpine, Texas.

Annual Report and Origin and Object of the Dry Farming Congress, President G. A. Martin of El Paso.

Orchestra.

Cultivation of the Soil to Conserve Moisture, Prof. S. H. Hastings, in charge of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, Experiment Farm, San Antonio, Texas.

Appointment of Committees.

Announcements.

Five Minute Discussions.

Adjourn till 10:00 a. m., August 18.

SECOND SESSION—AUGUST 18.

10:00 a. m.—Convention Called to Order.

Invocation, Rev. L. I. Insley of Eagle Pass.

Forage Crops for West Texas, J. L. Quicksall, Special Agent, U. S. Department of Agriculture, Farmers Demonstration Work, Waco, Texas.

Questions and Answers.

How to Raise Crops Successfully in the Dry Farm Belt of West Texas, J. W. Neill, Director of Farmers' Institutes, Texas State Department of Agriculture, Austin, Texas.

Questions and Answers.

Farm Management in Dry Land Regions—Prof. B. Youngblood, Special Agent U. S. Department of Agriculture, Oklahoma City, Ok.

Five Minute Talks by Practical Dry Land Farmers.

Adjourn for Lunch.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON—AUGUST 18.

2:30 o'clock—Delegates taken in charge by the Eagle Pass Automobile Association, and taken on excursion to and through the coal mines and irrigated farms near Eagle Pass, a sightseeing trip through Cd. P. Diaz, in Old Mexico, and to the old time Texas Roping Contest, at which delegates will be guests of honor.

THIRD SESSION—AUGUST 18, 8:30 P. M.

Orchestra.

Call to Order by the President.

The Soil Mulch, by a Practical Soil Mulcher, R. R. Clardige, Agricultural Commissioner, I. & G. N. Ry. Co., Palestine Texas.

Questions and Answers.

Undeveloped Resources, Prof. H. P. Atwater, Industrial Agent Sunset-Central Route, Houston, Texas.

Scientific Dry Land Farming in Mexico, Sr. Zeferino Dominguez, Professor of Agriculture, Hacienda de Santa Maria, Coahuila, Mexico.

Five Minute Talks by Practical Dry Land Farmers.

Orchestra.

FOURTH SESSION—AUGUST 19, 10:00 A. M.

Call to Order.

Invocation, Rev. L. T. Insley.

Dry Land Agriculture in the Trans-Pecos Country, Prof. H. H. Harrington, Director Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, College Station, Texas.

General Discussion.

Short Talks by Practical Dry Land Farmers.

Seed Testing Demonstration, Prof. Zeferino Dominguez, of Mexico.

Adjourn for Lunch.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON—AUGUST 19.

2:30 o'clock—Delegates will be taken in charge by Eagle Pass Automobile Club. Excursion to local points of interest. Eat Dry Farm Raised Watermelons from farm of W. E. Miller, the Pioneer Dry Farmer of Maverick County. Base Ball Contest. Reception by the Ladies' Civic Improvement League.

FIFTH SESSION—AUGUST 19, 8:30 P. M.

Orchestra.

Call to Order.

Results of Dry Farming in the West, Prof. J. D. Tinsley, Agricultural Demonstrator, Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway Company, Agricultural College, New Mexico.

Reports of Committees.

Selection of Officers.

Selection of Next Place of Meeting.

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## Disagreeable At Home.

In certain parts of Europe corncocks are utilized for building purposes. The cobs are taken to a factory, where heavy compresses crush and mold them into blocks of various sizes, just as bricks are variously molded. These blocks are then bound with wire so as to make them hold together. They are then soaked in tar in order that they may be watertight, and, after this last operation, they are ready for the market.

This product is, of course, much lighter than brick; and they are always dry, which cannot be said of the brick. It is said that the corncock construction affords a good house for the poorer class.

## D'HANIS DOINGS.

Items of Interest Culled or Condensed from The D'Hanis News.

Miss Clara Rinkus of Sabinal, arrived here Wednesday to visit home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Reinhart and daughters, Lena and Effie, were Sabinal visitors Sunday.

Mr. Hy. Wernette and two sons, Harry and Edwin, spent Monday in Hondo on business.

Mrs. A. C. Miller and Miss Emma Weynand were Hondo visitors Sunday.

Mr. S. J. Finger brought in the first bale of cotton of the season, weighing 510 pounds, which was sold to Mr. Louis Carle for 16c. a pound, the bale bringing \$81.60. Mr. Finger also received as a premium \$5.00 given by Mr. T. J. Sauter.

The dinner and supper served at the Rothe & Koch warehouse on Thursday for the benefit of the Saint Anthony School proved a genuine success both from a financial and social viewpoint.

The barbecue at the Batot ranch on Thursday was an enjoyable affair in every particular. The barbecued meats were excellent, besides many other choice edibles were in evidence to appeal to the most exacting epicure.

In the afternoon a base ball game between local teams was witnessed by the assembled throng, and one of the most pleasant days ever spent by the people of that neighborhood was rounded out by the assemblage en masse coming in and mingling with the dancers at Sauter & Koch's hall at night.

Last Sunday Edwin and Richard Wernette, twin brothers, celebrated their birthday. Quite a number gathered to do honor to the occasion.

The day was spent in playing base ball and other amusements. Lemonade, ice cream, cake and candy were the refreshments served. The evening was greatly enjoyed by all those present.

Mr. Walter Thiel, of San Antonio, is here visiting Mr. Leopold Britz and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Neumann, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hancock and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Wanshaff, of Hondo, and Mr. and Mrs. H. Weltner of Camp Verde, all enjoyed a dinner party at Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wallrath's this week.

Nick and Henry Walter were the second to bring in new cotton this season. They brought in a bale Wednesday which weighed 545 pounds and was sold to Rothe & Koch for 16c. a pound, which brought the nice little sum of \$87.20.

Adolph Zimmerman and sisters, Misses Otelia and Louisa, left for Castroville Friday.

Wm. and Edward Weynand were in town Thursday and Friday and paid The News office an appreciated call.

Paul Keller came over from Devine to the 4th celebration. He returned home yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Weltner have returned to their mountain home, after month's visit at D'Hanis and Hondo.

Mr. Ed Reiber of San Antonio, arrived in D'Hanis Friday to mingle once more with his many friends and relatives in this vicinity.

Miss Katie Ray of Del Rio, arrived here Sunday evening with Miss Emma Koch and will be the guest of Mrs. J. M. Koch and family for some little time. Miss Emma reports having had a most enjoyable time during her absence visiting her many friends and relatives at Carrizo Springs, Del Rio and other points west.

Mr. Jacob Reinhart of Sabinal, was a D'Hanis visitor Thursday.

Mr. James Ney arrived here Sunday from Uvalde to spend the holidays with home folks.

Mr. Chas. Marty came over from Castroville Thursday to celebrate the 4th with friends and incidentally to do a little missionary work for the big celebration planned for Castroville on the 14th.

Mrs. A. C. Miller and Mrs. B. Wernette were Hondo visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. Ben Wernette arrived home Tuesday from Dunlap.

Miss Ida Tondre of Castroville is here on a visit to relatives and friends.

Mr. Richard Reiley and Erich Rothe arrived home from St. Louis Wednesday. They report having had a splendid time.

Mr. Ed Reiber of San Antonio came in Tuesday to visit friends and relatives.

Miss Mattie Keifer of San Antonio is here during the holidays.

The Laziest Man in the World

would not be content to be kept in the house and doing nothing by rheumatism.

Neither are you, who are always busy and active. Then don't neglect the first twinge of an ache or pain that you might think is just a "crick." Rub well with Ballard's Snow Liniment and no matter what the trouble is it will disappear at once. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

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## CASTROVILLE

### Anvil Sparks.

This Department is in charge of our Authorized Agent for Castroville,

ED H. HUEHNER, Editor

who is authorized to collect and receipt for money due this paper and to whom items intended for this page should be submitted.—Editor.

Messrs. August Etter and brother-in-law, Wm. R. Bippert, made a business trip to Renton last week. They report crops somewhat better than in this section.

Hon. L. J. Bricks was here on legal business Tuesday and again on Saturday.

Rev. and Mrs. Walter Kralik paid a visit to Rev. and Mrs. Stadler at Quihua Wednesday.

F. Jos., Wm. and Albert Biediger and families, J. O. Holzhaus and family and others enjoyed picnic and fish fry at Vollmer's grove Wednesday.

Several from this vicinity went to D'Hanis Thursday to participate in the St. Dominic festivities.

Mr. Frank Vann and son, Ben, happened to a peculiar accident Friday afternoon. While driving along the river bank their team became frightened and began backing up, throwing the wagon and occupants into the river. Fortunately they both escaped with a good ducking and the wagon was only slightly damaged.

The first six bales of the season were ginned at Courland's gin Saturday.

Messrs. Nic. L. Tschirhart and A. E. Halbardier and Misses Clara Franger and Clotilda Tschirhart left Saturday on a pleasure trip to San Antonio and Sutherland Springs.

Mr. Leopold Brieden of Hondo was a Castroville visitor Sunday.

#### Seemed to Give Him a New Stomach.

"I suffered intensely after eating and no medicine or treatment I tried seemed to do me any good," writes H. M. Youngpeters, Editor of The Sun, Lake View, Ohio. "The first few doses of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets gave me surprising relief and the second bottle seemed to give me a new stomach and perfectly good health." For sale by all dealers.

#### Ask Her.

"The way to flatter a woman is to tell her she looks 10 years younger than she is." "But how are you to find out how old she is?"—Houston Post.

#### Struck a Rich Mine.

S. W. Bends, of Coal City, Ala., says he struck a perfect mine of health in Dr. King's New Life Pills for they cured him of Liver and Kidney Trouble after 12 years of suffering. They are the best pills on earth for Constipation, Malaria, Headache, Dyspepsia, Debility. 25c. at W. H. Windrow's.

Saves Second-Hand Lumber. A Boston firm of building wreckers has brought out a circular saw that will cut through nails and bolts as well as through wood, enabling them to cut into regular sizes of second-hand lumber that otherwise would be valueless.

Buy it now. Now is the time to buy a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It is almost certain to be needed before the summer is over. This remedy has no superior. For sale by all dealers.

#### Our Self-Eclipsing Heroes.

A printer's error will make a zero of a hero, but it isn't the error of somebody else that the average hero has most to fear in this connection.—The Standard.

To keep your health sound; to avoid the ills of advancing years; to conserve your physical forces for a ripe and healthful old age, guard your kidneys by taking Foley's Kidney Remedy.

Uncle Ezra Says:  
"Don't give up too easy, unless you are facin' a cocked revolver."—Boston Herald.

Children Cry  
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Tell them where you saw their ad.

#### The Gold of Life.

Last morn we saw the rainbow, she and I, That glanced along the uttermost con-

fine

Of sight, above the west horizon line, When suddenly she said: "In the years gone by

I dreamed that heaps of gold were in the sky,

That God's bright arch was hung there as a sign

To mark the place; but truer wealth is mine,

For close at hand life dearest treasures lie."

Now I remember how, for summers past,

Often and often I have thought of her,

And coveted her heart-joys mani-

fold,—

And on my mind the truth dawns clear at last

That she—God's surest, best inter-

preter—

In sweet content has found life's pur-

est gold.

—New Idea Woman's Magazine for September.

#### An Expert's Opinion of Skin Diseases.

A prominent, national expert on skin diseases whose name you are familiar with says that in all his scientific experience he has never found so hard a disease to conquer as Eczema. Yet he does not hesitate to recommend ZEMO as a most successful remedy for the treatment of Eczema, itching skin diseases, dandruff, pimples, blackheads and all other diseases of the skin and scalp.

Messrs. Hy. Steinle and Sam Etter Jr. of Jourdanton spent Sunday and Monday with home folks in our midst.

What might have been a serious accident happened to Mrs. Jos. Carle of this place and her grandson, Eddie Haby, of Dunlay, late Monday evening.

Ed came over for the purpose of taking his grandmother out to Dunlay. While driving along the horse took fright and ran into Aug. Bader's wire fence, upsetting the buggy and throwing the occupants out. Fortunately they went through the ordeal with only a few slight bruises. They secured a horse and buggy from Mr. Bader and drove on home. The horse ran all the way out to Dunlay. The buggy was smashed badly.

Work was begun Monday on Ed Haby's new brick butcher shop. When completed Ed intends to put in electric fans.

Misses Julie and Josephine Courand of San Antonio are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Scherer.

F. Kilhorn Sr. begs us to state that there will be plenty of barbecued meat and sausage on the picnic grounds next Sunday.

Castroville, Aug. 9, 1910.

#### Staggers Skeptics.

That a clean, nice, fragrant compound like Bucklin's Arnica Save will instantly relieve a bad burn, cut, scald, wound or piles, staggers skeptics. But great cures prove it's a wonderful healer of the worst sores, ulcers, boils, felonies, eczema, skin eruptions, as also chapped hands, sprains and corns. Try it. 25c. at W. H. Windrow's.

Fairy Literature.

"Father," said Little Rollo, "what is a prospectus?"

"The kind I am mostly acquainted with, my son, is the sort of fairy tale adapted to the tastes of adults instead of children."

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Must Deliver the Goods.

"Statesmanship has its cares," said one eminent citizen.

"Yes," replied the other; "when a statesman travels, he has to get up speeches for the people to read, instead of merely sending home post cards."

A well known Des Moines woman after suffering miserably for two days from bowel complaint, was cured by one dose of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. For sale by all dealers.

Has to Be Careful.

"I never dare to look down when I'm standing on a high place," said Mrs. Lapsling. "It always give me an attack of verdigris."

An ordinary case of diarrhoea can, as a rule, be cured by a single dose of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. This remedy has no superior for bowel complaints. For sale by all dealers.

recipe for happiness.

The art of living easily as to means is to pitch your scale of living one degree lower than your means.—Henry Taylor.

A hope.

Every woman lives in hope that the next Christmas is going to be the one when her husband will be rich enough to surprise her with a diamond ring.

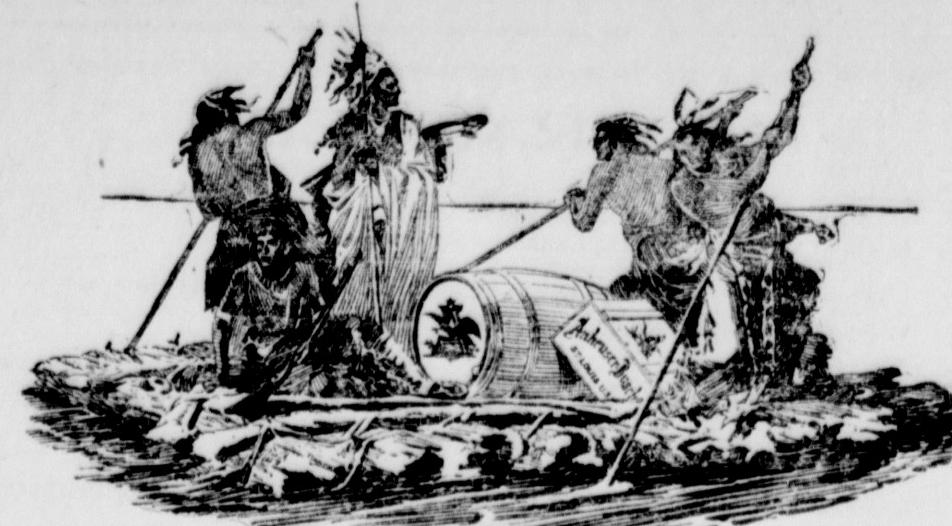
—F. Puck.

Her Objection.

Carlyle's dictum, "Not on morality,

but on cooking let us build our philosophy," is recalled by the following:

"An aged aunt, though in the position of guest, protested against the appearance of a really noble rabbit pie on her nephew's breakfast table. It was not that she feared ptomaine poisoning. Her objections were ethical. Rabbits, she declared, wore 'such immoral animals.'



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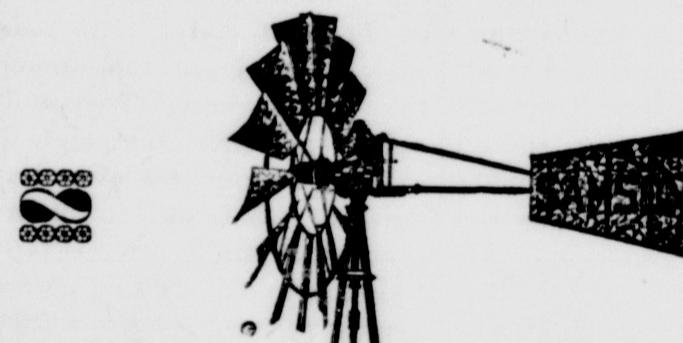
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## : :VIEWS AND REVIEWS: :

BEWARE of nurturing a viper lest it turn and sting you!

EDITOR Ernest Thorp of the D'Hanis News and Miss Fina Enderle, one of that town's fairest daughters, were happily wedded in that city Wednesday afternoon. The Anvil Herald wishes for them a future as full of love and pleasure as was their happy wedding day.

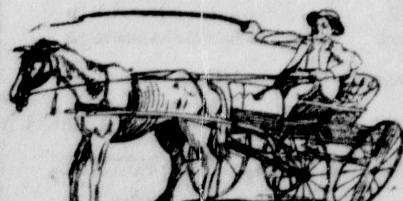
WITH all of its imperfections—and there are many—the people can be thankful that the Terrell election law enables them to select their public officials by the still but potent voice of the ballot instead of having it done by the howling mob that usually constitutes a convention.

IF you have anything to sell or trade or if you have lost or found something; in fact, if you have any wants the public can supply in any way advertise them in these columns. The cost is a mere trifle—5 cents a line each insertion for one, two or three insertions or only three cents for four or more insertions. Try it. 'twill brace you and

WE want to say a good word for the man who meets his small obligations promptly. They are not as plentiful as they should be and the man needs encouraging. Most men will pay but fewer will pay promptly. Almost any firm will testify that counting the time, postage, booking, and the like, it costs all some accounts are worth to collect them, and still the man owing it to them is perfectly responsible in a financial way. It very often happens that the worst sinner in this particular is the man best able to pay.—Nixon News.

REGARDLESS of political differences, every heart in Texas that is touched by humanitarian impulses goes out in sympathy for Hon. O. B. Colquitt in the sad and untimely death of his young son which occurred last Sunday. Death is always sad. But coming at the time this did it prevented Mr. Colquitt's attendance at the State Convention there to receive the tribute from his followers which his political success entitled him and which it would have been their pleasure to accord him. May the God of that peace which passeth understanding bring to him and his stricken household surcease of sorrow.

## New Rigs Just Arrived



PHONE 61

IN a speech delivered since the primary, Judge Poindexter said: "As certain as you and I live, Texas will be forced to write upon her statute books a law limiting the amount of money candidates may expend in making a campaign for a State office and providing the means and ways by which a successful campaign can be made in compliance with such law. If this is not done, the time will soon come, if it is not here now, when the man of moderate means will be debarred from seeking or obtaining the honors of the State." The full force of these words may be the more readily understood when it is observed that the sworn expenses of the Candidates in the recent gubernatorial race was as follows: Poindexter, \$15,111.71; Colquitt, \$11,778; R. V. Davidson, \$10,411; and Cone Johnson, \$6,221.70. As Judge Poindexter says, something must be done. If present conditions are permitted to continue indefinitely the office will eventually be knocked

Do good in the world as you're prancing along and throw the harpoon into error and wrong and always remember the man with a scowl is dense as a donkey and dumb as an owl; the man who is joyous fills others with joy and people will call him a peach of a boy. Oh, live while you're living and hold up your head, for a man never knows how long he will be dead. Drive out all that's vicious and mean from your mind; be honest and tender and faithful and kind; don't criticise pilgrims who wander astray, but jolly them back to the straight and narrow way; don't grumble around when you're doing your chores, but kick up your heels like a colt out of doors; get what pleasure you can, for when all's done and said, a man never knows just how long he'll be dead! Some time in the future your main-spring will stop and death will come up with a skip, jump and hop; and when you are facing that grizzly old cuss, and looking your last on the world and its fuss, 'twill brace you and

## "Some Class" to This Fish



This shows Rudolph Richter, Willie C. Martin, Otto Schweers and Eugen Huesser and the gigantic cat fish.

The fish weighed 42 pounds, dressed, and was caught in the Medina river above Castroville by the above fishermen.

off to the highest bidder, in effect if not in reality.

WHEN Hope abdicates her throne and mourning Melancholy sits in the sackcloth of misfortune and the ashes of lost opportunity, yield not to brooding Despair. Man is never defeated until he admits his defeat. What though lost opportunities lie about you, like wind-tossed leaves in autumn's northern blasts, Time, like naked boughs of the forest tree, will again be filled with the bursting buds of promise that harbinger a fruitful heritage to him who learns to labor and to wait. Be up and doing. Heed not the dead sea-fruit of yesterday. Today is yours; use it. It is not the talents we bring at the final summing up that will count, but the use we have tried to make of those that have been given us, and man has no time to mourn over what might have been.—Hondo Anvil Herald. Which, translated freely, means don't be a quitter; get a move on yourself and eliminate that yaller streak.—Galveston News.

cheer you, and let you down light to know that you always stood up for the right, you'll make no excuse for the life you have led, though you have no way of knowing how long you'll be dead.—Walter Mason.

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Pipe and Pipe Tobacco at Windrow's.

Hair ornaments a specialty, Heyen & Co.

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Ice cream and cold drinks at F. A. Heyen's.

A swell suit for \$12 or \$14 at C. D. Conley's.

—Fruits, Candies and Cold Drinks at Hutzler's.

For a good Tooth Brush come to Windrow's.

Chocolate candies of all kinds at F. A. Heyen's.

Phone or send us the news. We will appreciate it.

A beautiful line of Dutch collars at Heyen & Co's.

Hose to water your garden with at Holloway Bros.

Tom Heath shipped a car of wood to Alpine Monday.

—Ice Cream and Cold Beverages served at Hutzler's.

See the Briar Root Pipes at Windrow's: from 25¢ up.

Metalized stone ware; you can cook in it, Holloway Bros.

Two cars of lumber have been received here this week.

For a good Tooth Paste try "Nydent"; 25¢ at Windrow's.

M. Schwartz shipped a car of horses to Schulenberg Wednesday.

Matt Rath, the City Baker was a San Antonio visitor Monday.

John Hartmann shipped a car of cattle to San Antonio Monday.

Studebaker wagon! that is the one that you want, Holloway Bros.

Every thing in Silver-ware and Cut Glass at Windrow's Drug Store.

Fountain drinks served at F. A. Heyen's new Soda Fount, south side.

Gus Batot and family, formerly of Sansom, have moved to San Antonio.

Charter Oak Stoves! the kind that your neighbor uses, Holloway Bros.

No grocery store anywhere can offer you a better service than Brown & Goff.

Buy a hamburger and eat 'till you burst at Wilkinson's Hamburger Stand.

For Sale, one surry, at a bargain. See us at once. McClaugherty & Horger.

Fix that old furniture up with Chi-Namel, it will make it look like new, Holloway Bros.

Arnold Oefinger is enjoying a week's vacation and visited in Sabinal the first of the week.

Instant delivery at Brown & Goff's whether your order is 10 cents or \$10. Give us an order.

Bailey, the cleaner and dyer. See those pocket Knives at Holloway Bros.

Of course we sell it if it's groceries. Brown & Goff.

We can save you money on buggies, Holloway Bros.

H. C. Rothe, the telegrapher, has returned from San Antonio.

Just received a new line of patent leather belts. Heyen & Co.

Better buggies for less money; let us show you, Holloway Bros.

A. H. Knolle came up Thursday from Sinton to look after his interests here.

The Buick car-nine models, \$650 to \$2000. The car for service. C. R. Gaines.

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Have Conley to order you a suit. They are so cheap. Good fit and work guaranteed.

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Dr. and Mrs. R. P. Thomas are now sojourning at Port Lavaca and enjoying the cooling sea breezes.

We want to sell Fish tires. They will give you satisfaction and save your tubes. Hondo Motor Sales Co.

Meet me at the Soda Fountain. Cool, sparkling drinks served from the beautiful fountain at Hutzler's.

A marriage license was issued Aug. 9 to Martin Nester and Miss Lizzie Koch, two D' Hanis young people.

Did you ever use the Lee broom? They are always the best and the best is the cheapest. See Heyen & Co.

F. Murguiondo, representing the Texas Portland Cement Co., of Dallas, Texas, was here yesterday on business for his company.

Since the cotton season opened up there had been shipped from this point 350 bales of cotton up to Thursday night of this week.

Two cars of north Texas hay were received here this week. This will probably be the forerunner of many like shipments this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Love are here from Taylor on a visit to A. H. D. Hurt's family. Mrs. Love is a sister to the late Mrs. Hurt.

Attention is called to the announcement of Hugh F. Woods for the office of Public Weigher of Precinct No. 1, Hondo, at the November election.

Cotton has ranged as high as 15¢ per pound here this week, one bale bringing \$90.30 on the local market. It was selling at 14½ as we went to press.

Elsewhere will be found the announcement of J. B. Ney as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Commissioner from the D' Hanis precinct. Mr. Ney is so far without an opponent. See the proper column.

In changing our announcement column last week we made the mistake of taking out Mr. Brucks' announcement for District Attorney. Mr. Brucks is the nominee by 160 majority in the district and our column appears this week as it should be.

Bailey, the tailor. Phone 1-2-5. Get Chi-Namel for your furniture, Holloway Bros.

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Anything and everything in fancy can goods. Heyen & Co.

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Arrangements have been made to have the Eagle Pass baseball team visit Hondo for a return series of games with the local team. The Eagle Pass boys are expected to arrive on the evening train Monday, August 22nd, and play one game that evening. Two games will then follow on the 23rd in time for the boys to return home on the evening train.

B. C. Wiemers and R. S. Howard are two of our present commissioners who are not standing for re-election. Mr. Howard informs us that in his precinct Denny Barnes is out as an independent candidate against Golden Grant, the Democratic nominee. This race will be watched with more than the usual interest as on its issue will depend the showing of the relative strength of those in the precinct who favor and those who oppose party nominations for precinct offices.

The editor of this paper returned Thursday from Galveston where, as alternate, he represented Medina County on the floor of the State Democratic Convention. It was a great convention, 1000 or 1200 delegates from all parts of the state being present. Colquitt's forces dominated the convention and dictated the platform as outlined and suggested by Mr. Colquitt. A coalition between the Colquitt and Pindexter forces gave Bailey a large directing influence in the convention and enabled him to again score a victory over his opponents who again let their zeal outrun their discretion in making a very untimely and uncalled for fight upon him. We shall not attempt to give a write-up of the convention as our readers will find it thoroughly covered in their city paper. It is proper to say, however, that the writer enjoyed his stay in the Island City but was glad to get back to Hondo and into harness again.

The Commissioners Court is in regular session here this week with all members of the Board present. Aside from a canvass of the scholastic census to determine the basis for the issuance of saloon licenses in the county, only routine matters are being transacted.

A synopsis of their proceedings will appear in our next issue.

Geo. W. Jones, President of The First National Bank of this place, is enjoying an outing in Galveston this week and shared with the alternate from this county the honor of representing the militant Democracy of Medina County on the floor of the State Democratic Convention and in casting the county's two votes against the Cone Johnson cohorts' efforts to tack a veriform appendix to Mr. Colquitt's platform.

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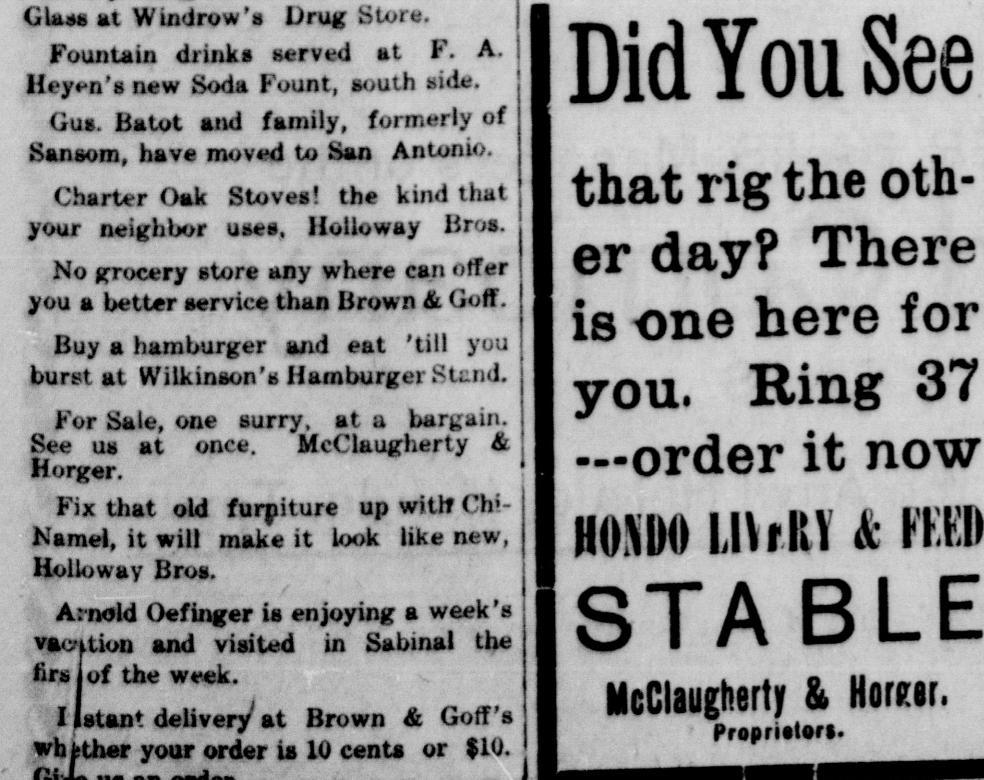
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## THE BOSS TO RUFUS

"Rufus," said the boss, "you're starting in wrong."

"This idea of yours that the boss is going to get out of you all he can for the money is right, but your idea that you ain't going to do any more than you get paid for, that you ain't going to give the boss something for nothing, is about as foolish as it could be. It's about as sure a way as you could find of always keeping yourself down and never amounting to anything at all."

"Of course the boss wants all he can get out of you for what he pays you—why shouldn't he? When you buy anything you want full value for your money, don't you? Why shouldn't you give full value when you sell?"

"You say you do give a full day, a full square day, but you don't see any reason why you should give any more, why you should make the boss a present of anything valuable."

"How foolish! Suppose you found one grocer who, when he sold you a pound of sugar gave you down, plump, generous weight, and another who gave you a pound but looked sharp all the time to see that he didn't give you a grain more? Which grocer would you patronize? Eh?"

"Don't you suppose the man you work for likes men who give down, plump, generous weight in work? Don't you suppose that that's the sort of man the boss likes to do business with and that he keeps? Isn't that the sort of man that always has work, whether anybody else does or not?"

"Don't be satisfied with giving just full measure of work, with doing your stent. Take an interest in the business and do all you can, and don't be afraid of responsibility. Make yourself valuable as well as useful."

"Going home on the subway last night I heard two business men talking shop together, and one of them was telling the other about some changes that he had just made in his store."

"It seems that this man had working for him two young men who had both been with him some time, but one longer than the other and getting more pay. After a while the next man still higher up than these two young men went out and somebody had to be promoted to his place. Naturally the man to go up would have been that one of those two who had been there longest; but said this man, was doing the talking, the other man who hadn't been there so long, was now the better man."

"They were both good, faithful, desirable men, you understand, both workers; but the man who had been there longer could only do what he was set to do, while the other had gone ahead in him and he wasn't afraid; he was ready to meet and tackle anything that came along and able to get away with it, a good man in the business. 'And,' says the man who was telling this, 'I hated to have to promote the junior over the senior's head, and the senior was older in years too; but what else could I do?'

"Suppose you were in business for yourself, Rufus, and suppose you'd got in that business every dollar you could rake and scrape. You'd be interested in that business, wouldn't you? Well, some; you'd be more than interested, you'd be anxious and you'd plug in and work harder than anybody you could hire, besides taking all the risk."

"You'd have your troubles, yes; more than anybody else in the shop, and you'd want to get all the work that was coming to you out of the men you hired? Naturally. Now suppose you had working for you two men, one of them having that idea that he wasn't going to do anything he wasn't paid for and the other man who pitched in and did everything he could and worked for the good of the business, keeping that in mind all the time and not thinking about himself, not caring a snap whether he stayed a minute late or an hour."

"Which one of those two men do you think you'd like better and which one do you think you would advance the pay of and promote and hang on to? That's an easy one, isn't it?"

"Now suppose this man that wasn't thinking of himself all the time, but was thinking of how he could help your business, should turn out also to be able and capable and courageous; not only devoted but able to do things; don't you suppose you'd help him all you could? If you had a grain of sense you would, and I think you have got some sense and that's why I'm talking to you."

"What I am telling you is, don't be afraid that somebody is going to get the best of you; the only man that can do that is yourself. Don't get the whistle habit; get as far away from that as you can. Here is just one more pointer."

"Don't be disappointed if you don't get promoted the first minute. The boss has been disappointed many a time in men who started in grand style and petered out the next month or year—to get there you've got to be a stayer. You'll get there, all right, if you are."

### For Quick Relief From Hay Fever

Asthma and summer bronchitis, take Foley's Honey and Tar. It quickly relieves the discomfort and suffering and the annoying symptoms disappear. It soothes and heals the inflamed air passages of the head, throat and bronchial tubes. It contains no opiates and no harmful drugs. Refuse substitutes. W. H. Windrow.

### SUGAR A NEED OF THE BODY

Requisite Food for Both Children and Adults, According to Eminent Authority.

"Give children plenty of pure sugar, taffy and butter scotch and they'll have little need of cod liver oil," says Dr. Woods Hutchinson. "In short, sugar is, after meat, bread and butter easily our next most important and necessary food. You can put this matter to a test very easily. Just leave off the pie, pudding and other desserts at your lunch or midday dinner. You'll be astonished to find out how quickly you'll feel 'empty' again, and how 'unfinished' the meal will seem. You can't get any workman to accept a dinner pall without pie in it. And he's absolutely right. The only thing that can take the place of sugar is beer or wine. It is a significant fact that the free lunch counters run in connection with bars furnish every imaginable thing except sweets. Even the restaurants and the lunch grills attached to saloons or bars often refuse to serve desserts of any sort. They know their business. The more sugar and sweets a man takes at a meal, the less alcohol he wants. Conversely nearly every drinking man will tell you he has lost his taste for sweets. The more candy a nation consumes, the less alcohol."

### The Best Hour of Life

is when you do some great deed or discover some wonderful fact. This hour came to J. R. Pitt, of Rocky Mt., N.C., when he was suffering intensely, as he says, "from the worst cold I ever had. I then proved to my great satisfaction, what a wonderful Cold and Cough cure Dr. King's New Discovery is. For after taking one bottle, I was entirely cured. You can't say anything too good of a medicine like that." Its the surest and best remedy for diseased lungs, Hemorrhages, LaGrippe, Asthma, Hay Fever—any Throat or Lung Trouble. 50c., \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by W. H. Windrow.

### The Comet's Tail.

The tall of a comet is composed of gas, existing in a highly rarefied condition. Little particles of electricity called corpuscles, or ions, are being constantly given off at enormous speed by the sun. Each meteorite in the comet's head is surrounded by its own rarefied atmosphere. When one of these little ions strikes one of the molecules of gas in the comet's atmosphere, it carries it off with it to form the tail. The electrical charge makes the gas luminous, and it is by this light, and not by reflected sunlight, that the tail is made visible to us. A comet's tail, therefore, seems to be merely very extended aurora —Century.

### Life On Panama Canal

has had one frightful drawback—malaria trouble—that has brought suffering and death to thousands. The germs cause chills, fever and ague, biliousness, jaundice, lassitude, weakness and general debility. But Electric Bitters never fail to destroy them and cure malaria troubles. "Three bottles completely cured me of a very severe attack of malaria," writes Wm. A. Fretwell, of Lucana, N. C., "and I've had good health ever since." Cure Stomach, Liver and Kidney Troubles, and prevent Typhoid. 50c. Guaranteed by W. H. Windrow.

### Inertia of the Nerves.

The researches and experiments of a French scientist have led him to the conclusion that the cerebral nervous system is incapable of perceiving more than an average of 10 separate impressions per second. After each excitation of the nerves a period of inertia follows, lasting about one-tenth of a second, and during this period a new impression cannot be made. According to the investigations of this scientist a person cannot make more than ten, or at the most a dozen, separate voluntary movements of any kind in a second, although the muscles independently of the will, are capable of making as many as 30 or 40.

### They Have a Definite Purpose.

Foley Kidney Pills give quick relief in cases of kidney and bladder ailments. Mrs. Rose Glaser, Terre Haute, Ind., tells the result in her case. "After suffering for many years from a serious case of kidney trouble and spending much money for so-called cures, I found Foley Kidney Pills the only medicine that gave me a permanent cure. I am again able to be up and attend to my work. I shall never hesitate to recommend them." W. H. Windrow.

### Humorous Hobo.

The professional tramp or hobo is not without humor. At Stroud (Eng.) police court the other day one of the fraternity was sentenced to 14 days for tearing up his clothes while at the workhouse. He had only one eye and when asked how he lost the other optic, with a sardonic grin he answered: "Looking for work."

# THE TIME TO INVEST In Hondo Property

Is now before the prices go any higher. Buy now and the increase in price that is bound to come with the continued growth of the town will be your profit. The lots shown on the following plat are now on the market at prices ranging from \$200 to as low as \$125 a lot and offers a splendid field for investment. Pick out your choice from the plat and

## Buy Now in the Beautiful Miller Addition

HORGER ST. 50ft

Sold to J. B. Lutz				
10	9	8	7	6

BLOCK 6

1	2	3	4	5

BLOCK 5

Sold				
10	9	8	7	6

PEARL ST. 50ft

Sold				
10	9	8	7	6

MONTIEL AVE. 56ft.

BLOCK 3				
Lots 3 and 4 For Sale By Hondo Land Co.	Sold			

LIVE OAK AVE. 60ft.

BLOCK 4				
1	2	3	4	5

EMERALD ST. 50ft

Sold to Henry Rothe				
7	6			

BLOCK 1

1	2	3	4	Sold

MILLER ST. 45ft

The foregoing is a complete plat of the entire Miller Addition to the town of Hondo, situated adjoining the school house. The six lots on the east side are 70x140 feet; all others in the addition are 60x140 and are for sale at from \$125 to \$200 per lot. It will be observed that a number of these lots have been sold. Not one that has been sold could be bought for less than a considerable advance over the first cost. Don't delay longer but get prices at once from J. W. Miller, owner, or

H. B. TAYLOR or FLETCHER DAVIS, Managers of the  
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EXCLUSIVE AGENTS.

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Other desirable town, farm and ranch property in Hondo and Medina County for sale. Make your real estate wants known to us.

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**E-RU-SA** is the only non-narcotic, non-poisonous and lawful Pile cure. All scientific and medical authorities declare every ingredient in **E-RU-SA** is suitable for Piles. Same authorities condemn the injurious "dope" or narcotic preparations and Supreme Courts uphold these authorities. **E-RU-SA** Cures Piles or \$50 Paid. All modern druggists of high standing sell **E-RU-SA**.

FALKENBERG'S DRUG STORE, Hondo, Texas

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TEXAS BEER

## After The Grippe

"I am much pleased, to be able to write and thank you for what Cardui has done for me," writes Mrs. Sarah J. Gilliland, of Siler City, N. C.

"Last February, I had the Grippe, which left me in bed shape. Before that, I had been bothered with female trouble, for ten years, and nothing seemed to cure it.

"At last, I began to take Cardui. I have taken only three bottles, but it has done me more good than all the doctors or than any other medicine I ever took."

## Take CARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

For the after-effects of any serious illness, like the Grip, Cardui is the best tonic you can use. It builds strength, steadies the nerves, improves the appetite, regulates irregularities and helps bring back the natural glow of health.

Cardui is your best friend, if you only knew it. Think of the thousands of ladies whom Cardui has helped! What could possibly prevent it from helping you?

Remember you cannot get the benefit of the Cardui ingredients in any other medicine, for they are not for sale in any drug store except in the Cardui bottle. Try Cardui.

Write to: Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent free.



### Pure Whiskey Often Prevents Sickness

Many a serious sickness has been checked in time by the judicious use of

## SunnyBrook THE PURE FOOD Whiskey

As a healthful tonic for home use or a wholesome stimulant in cases of accidents or sudden illness, it has no equal. No home should be without it. In moderate use it is highly beneficial to those who are ailing and it will increase the vigor of those who are well. Genuine SUNNY BROOK Pure Food Whiskey is U. S. Standard (100%) proof and every bottle bears the "Governor's Green Stamp" showing the correct age and measure.

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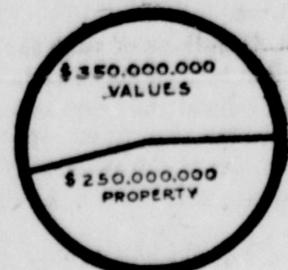
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PILE CURE

## Property Values

Some people are born wealthy, others acquire it, and still others have it thrust upon them. The Texas property owners are now having wealth thrust upon them. The real estate values in Texas are increasing at the rate of \$1,000,000 per day. The total increase in wealth from property and property values approximate \$600,000,000 per annum. A careful study of the tax rolls indicate that \$350,000,000 of this amount is increase in property values and \$250,000,000 in property moving into the State, as shown in cut below:



Increase in Property Values  
\$600,000,000 Per Annum.

**Medina County Valuations.**  
There are assessed for taxes for the year 1910 in Medina county on the rendered, non-resident and unrendered rolls property as follows: 817,927 acres of land valued at \$4,665,390; town lots valued at \$732,230; 8,428 head of horses and mules valued at \$400,005; 34,089 head of cattle valued at \$380,505; 70 jacks and stallions valued at \$13,575; 1480 head of sheep valued at \$2,860; 4,884 head of goats valued at \$7,320; 716 head of hogs valued at \$1,965; 34 dogs valued at \$980; 2,509 wagons valued at \$91,800; merchandise valued at \$277,680; machinery valued at \$100,435; money, notes and state banks \$540,060; national banks \$131,500; railroads, telegraphs and telephones valued at \$1,839,876; miscellaneous property valued at \$91,065. This makes a total valuation of all property in Medina county rendered for taxation of \$9,279,336. This is an increase over 1909 of \$244,670. There are also assessed 1317 polls amounting to a tax for both state and county of \$2,304.25.

### Peevish Children.

Children are retarded in growth, held back in school, become peevish, nervous and fretful all because of some stomach disturbances. Look after your children's bowels. Do not allow them to become constipated. See that they digest their food properly. Then they will look well and feel well. To regulate the stomach and bowels and cure these disturbances, give them Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, as specially prescribed for children. It is absolutely guaranteed to do what is claimed, and if you want to try it before buying, send your address for a free sample bottle to Pepsin Syrup Co., 119 Caldwell Bldg., Monticello, Ill. It is sold by all druggists at 50c. and \$1 a bottle.

### A Husband's Pledge.

A wealthy middle-aged divorcee who married a good-looking and companionable young fellow, penniless himself, is said to have exacted from him, as part of the marriage contract, the pledge that he would spend every evening of his life with her. They were inveterate theater-goers until his death, which seems to corroborate the curious story. Many women would like to have the same power of keeping their husbands at home.—New York Press.

### What is Best for Indigestion?

Mr. A. Robinson of Drumquin, Ontario, has been troubled for years with indigestion, and recommends Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets as "the best medicine I ever used." If troubled with indigestion or constipation give them a trial. They are certain to prove beneficial. They are easy to take and pleasant in effect. Price, 25 cents. Samples free at all dealers.

### Horrible Method of Suicide.

There are many ways of taking one's own life, but that chosen the other day by a Swedish sailor, chief engineer of a boat lying at Queenborough, Ireland, was crude and horrible. Having suffered from insomnia, the man soaked his clothing with paraffin and then set himself alight. He suffered fearful agonies and lingered for 48 hours.

**CASTORIA**  
For Infants and Children.  
The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

### Obvious Reason.

"Why do women wear veils?" inquires a contemporary. That's easy. It's because they can always buy them at bargain sales.

**Children Cry  
FOR FLETCHER'S  
CASTORIA**

### A Lesson.

Possibly when one finds a brick with strange characters on it a wise plan is to let it alone, unless it may be of use to throw at a yellow dog.

**Children Cry  
FOR FLETCHER'S  
CASTORIA**

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# CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*, and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

## What is CASTORIA

Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is Pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. It cures Diarrhea and Wind Colic. It relieves Teething Troubles, cures Constipation and Flatulence. It assimilates the Food, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

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## The Kind You Have Always Bought

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THE CENTAUR COMPANY, 77 MURRAY STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

## "You Can Fool All the People Part of the Time and Some People All the Time"

It is a very common occurrence for some piano dealers to advertise a lot of unknown makes, of unknown value, at prices that are supposed to effect a saving to the buyer, but eventually the unsophisticated discover that their supposed bargain was a rather expensive purchase.

Our instruments are standard makes and priced in accordance with their intrinsic value. Every piano in our salesroom bears the guarantee of the maker in addition to our own. When you purchase a piano at this store you can depend on the quality and by reason of our one-price method you know positively that some other individual has not bought a similar instrument at a lesser cost.

The cultivated, the discriminating, the prominent, almost always use one of these makes:

**MASON & HAMLIN, HARDMAN, BUSH & GERTS, HARRINGTON, HENSEL**

The greater the pianist's ability, the more cultured the ear of the hearer, the higher will be the appreciation of the rich and colorful tones of these instruments. They embody a distinct individuality, bringing to the surface the best there is in composer and pianist alike. Our easy payment plan will enable you to use the piano while paying for it. Old instruments taken in exchange.

**Wray Bros. Piano Co.** The House of Quality

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## PAVEMENT PHILOSOPHY.

Sometimes back numbers are valuable.

Revenge is sweet only to a perverted taste.

Better be prepared for both worse and better.

A good guesser always has plenty to keep him busy.

Spanking has gone out of style, but is the world any better?

It's a long lane that has no turning to see if anybody's looking.

Business combined with pleasure is usually more than 50 per cent. pleasure.

When things are too high, don't reach for them; they will come down to you.

If a thing is too good to be true, perhaps it would be better if it weren't.

It's a good deal better to be struck with an idea than with something more fatal.

If your nightmares come in the daytime, you'd best see a doctor and then reform.

A lean horse for a race, perhaps, but not so lean that it needs a fence to support it.

The way some people go at things is enough to make you wish you had never learned a trade.

## HONOR.

No profit, it is said, is without some honor. But this has never been definitely settled.

As yet, however, it has not been well received in the best society, most social leaders considering it superfluous.

While it is extremely rare it exists in the most unexpected places. Traces of it have been said to be found in Indian companies.

Common or garden honor, is used by the plain people. It is found in large quantities in the slums. Some thieves are even said to possess it.

Honor is a product original in the age of chivalry and imported to this country by the Puritans. Since then it has been trying to get acclimated, with indifferent success.

Honor is not always durable; and it frequently happens that the individual receiving it is disappointed in having it suddenly snatched away. This happened to Napoleon Bonaparte and George Dewey, not to mention other more distinguished examples.

Honor has made several attempts to enter American politics, but has never succeeded. It was present at the death of Caesar, but not at the birth of the Standard Oil Company.—Thomas L. Masson, in Smart Set.

## THE VAGABOND PHILOSOPHER.

Wild oats and grass widows are often affinities.

The falsehood of to-day is often the truth of to-morrow.

In the social swim the water is never as fine as it looks.

The modern way is to marry at leisure and divorce in haste.

When a woman makes a show of herself it isn't always a comedy.

The man who is liberal in his views seldom lets it affect his pocketbook.

When you begin to take things philosophically you are settling down.

When Desire calls upon a pretty young matron, his card always bears a fictitious name.

A woman will tell you she dresses to please her husband, even though he swears every time she buys a new dress.

A popular Lenten diversion is playing diabolio with the commandments; the rest of the year the world forgets all but the eleventh one.—Smart Set.

## SIDELIGHTS OF LIFE.

Time and taximeters wait for no man.

Nowadays a referee is more in demand than a rector.

The other woman profits by the mistakes a man's wife makes.

Many strings to one's beau do not always tie the matrimonial knot.

Though a moth is very fond of dress, it is not at all particular as to style.

Freakishness is the eccentricity of mediocrity; originality, that of genius.

How easy it would be for a man to remain in love with his wife if he had only married somebody else!

Referring to a woman as being on the shady side of 40 is likely to ruffle her sunny disposition.—Smart Set.

## PERSONALS

See Hondo Land Co. for real estate.

For Rent, The City Hotel, 22 rooms. Apply to F. Metzger, Hondo.

New Johnson Grass hay, a heavy bale for 60c. at Fulton's. Phone 61.

Try the Anvil Herald one year for one dollar—less than two cents a week.

Rev. Ira Jackson will begin a revival meeting at the Christian church next Sunday.

Emmett de Montel spent several days in Galveston this week taking in the Carnival.

For Sale Cheap, four mules, harness, wagon, farm implements, apply to W. B. Odom.

Get your hardware at Gaines, the cheapest place, 22 shot R. F. Smokeless, 15c box.

Conley is giving from \$2 to \$10 off on Spring and Summer Suits. Look at the samples now.

Refugio Alvarado and Maria Camar go were married Saturday morning by Judge Lamm.

For Sale, 400 bushels of new corn in the shuck. Call on Emil Leinweber, Hondo, Texas.

Mrs. J. G. Brucks and children returned Thursday from their visit to Kinney County.

Herman Petry of Hockley, Texas has accepted a position in J. H. Meyers' blacksmith shop.

Cherri Pepin, a delicious, healthful drink served at F. A. Heyen's confectionery, 5 cents a glass.

Lost, a gold watch fob. Finder will please return to G. W. Bailey at tailor shop and receive reward.

Wanted, next week, 500 men who have loose wagon and buggy tires to set. J. H. Meyers' shop.

Send the Anvil Herald to your relatives and friends elsewhere. It will be a weekly news-letter to them.

Mrs. Jim Forester and baby of Peasant are guests of Mrs. Forester's brother, Geo. Bailey, and wife.

For Sale, 200 acres of land, 7 miles north of Hondo on Tarpley road, 115 acres in cultivation. W. J. Earnest.

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## Letter to Joe Britsch.

RONDO, TEXAS.

Dear Sir: Here is a story that tells the fact as truly as if it were true.

At the time when President Lincoln was shot, in 1865, a man had three houses alike, in like condition, and situated alike. He meant to find out, by experiment, which of three paints would prove most profitable.

He painted the first house lead-and-oil, the second Devoe, the third another good paint; and, afterwards, painted each house when required, for thirty years, with the paint he painted it with at first.

He got 25 gallons of each for the job; had 1 gallon left on the first house, and 4 on the second; but had to get 7 gallons more for the third. He was surprised at the difference; he had expected one paint to go as far as another.

The costs of the several paints by the gallon were not far apart; lead-and-oil \$1.60; Devoe \$1.75; the other paint \$1.50; and the cost of all three was the same for labor, \$3 a gallon.

Lead-and-oil he has painted once in three years, Devoe once in six, and the other paint once in five years.

Any school boy can reckon his costs for those three houses for thirty years; that's a business man's lifetime.

Lead-and-oil \$1104.00

Devoe 498.75

Other paint 864.00

And the story is just as good as it were actual history. Paint is so profitable that even dear paint is cheap; but half the money paid for paint is thrown away by using weak paint, supposed to be cheap, but is dear.

Strong paint is cheap; weak paint is dear; the least gallons paint is the economical paint; Devoe.

Yours truly,

111 F W DEVOE & CO

P. S. Holloway Bros. sell our paint.

## Notice to Farmers.

The railroad at this point will not allow any weighing on its platform, so I have been forced to establish a cotton yard and have located it on the lot adjoining the section house on the west side where I will be pleased to have you bring your cotton to be weighed.

In case you don't sell your cotton to any buyer here and it is left on the yard the yardage will be five cents per bale. If sold in the yard the yard fee will be paid by the buyer.

Respectfully,

7-304 H. H. CROW,  
Public Weigher, Prec. 1, Hondo.

## Water Works Notice.

We charge a flat rate of one dollar per month for use of water for yard.

It takes 12 or 15 minutes per day, one hydrant, for a customer to get his dollar's worth. All used over this is actual loss to us. Please calculate our losses and be more reasonable in the use of water during this dry season, otherwise we will be compelled to cut it out entirely or charge a much higher rate for sprinkling privileges. Water yards in day time only. Water for gardens or irrigation not allowed.

I. WILSON, Manager.

Some of the best lots in the Miller Addition are still on the market at the original price of \$125 and \$150 per lot. Buy now before the rise in value and reap the benefit. The owner, J. W. Miller, or his agents, The Hondo Land Co., will take pleasure in showing you over the addition.

C. W. Grell has completed the painting of the Christian church and that building is greatly improved in appearance.

Make your real estate wants known to us. Hondo Land Co.

Rev. Ira Jackson arrived yesterday from San Antonio.

Mention the Anvil Herald to our advertisers.

The Anvil Herald does job printing.

Land? land? See Hondo Land Co.

Tell them where you saw their ad.

Mrs. August Hornung had the misfortune to stick a needle in the fleshy part of her thumb, breaking a part of it off Wednesday. Surgeons made an unsuccessful effort to remove the part and it is feared she may suffer a great deal of pain from it.

TO MY PATRONS: On account of the continued illness of my little boy, I will be away from Hondo for a short while. I have left my office in charge of a competent dentist who is ready to serve you at all times. R. P. Thomas.

The Hondo Volunteer Fire Co. held its regular monthly meeting at the court house Monday night. Owing to the rush incident to the cotton season all business was postponed until the next regular meeting.

As we go to press a report comes to us that J. S. Monkhouse is being solicited to run for County Treasurer but as no announcement has yet been forthcoming we are not in a position to authenticate it.

District Attorney C. C. Harris went to Uvalde Thursday to attend an examining trial in a murder case. A man by the name of Neely shot another and killed him in that town the first of the week.

Master Jules Schmitt gave a party to his little boy friends Tuesday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. Schmitt, in honor of his 9th birthday, and all had an enjoyable time.

The Anvil Herald expects to have some good news soon to relate about the new well that has been under way for the past two years.

Aug. Tschirhart is here attending Commissioners Court. So far, we believe, Mr. Tschirhart is without opposition for re-election.

E. E. Zinsmeyer and family passed through here Saturday enroute to San Antonio where they will reside in the future.

There will probably be several from here to attend the Sons of Hermann picnic at Castroville tomorrow.

Messrs. Hurt and Jones are nearing completion of the brick work on the addition to the school building.

Mimke Saathoff was down from Upper Hondo Tuesday. Mimke said they had a good rain last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Falkenberg visited relatives and friends in Galveston during the Cotton Carnival.

Joe Fohn spent several days in Galveston this week enjoying the sea breezes and recuperating.

Miss Blanche Strong arrived Saturday from Llano and is the guest of Miss Meda Meriwether.

C. F. Lehmann of Hallettsville and W. R. Hardy of Jourdanton came in Thursday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Harris and children visited relatives in San Antonio and Devine this week.

Sheriff Joe Ney and sons, Ed and Bill, attended the Sheriffs' convention at El Paso this week.

C. L. Marty, the Castrovile Commission man, was here yesterday on business.

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## EASY WORK ON THE FARM

Day of Hard Labor Has Gone By, According to This Tiller of the Soil.

A Jackson county farmer, serving on the jury recently, stood in the hallway of the Criminal court building a day or two ago, stretching and yawning, and complaining about not getting enough exercise out on the farm.

"You fellows around the city do a lot of walking and shifting about," the farmer commented to a city man. "When I was on the farm plowing and cultivating the soil I had no complaint to make about not getting enough exercise," was the suggestive comment of the city man.

You lived away back there at a time when a man followed the plow and lifted it around at the end of the furrows, after having carried it to the field on his back, and such things," the farmer explained. "We ride and plow these days, you know. Most everybody else is done by machinery. Why, we have to construct a gymnasium on the farm to get a little exercise when we get up in the mornings and bed at night."

Then he stretched and yawned again, while the city man kicked himself—metaphorically—for having to work so hard.—Kansas City Star.

## Personals from D'Hanis.

Messrs. Chas. Wipff of Devine and Frank Ahr of San Antonio were guests of Miss Clara Zuercher during the holidays.

Miss Theresa Zuercher of Hondo was over to spend the 4th here.

Misses Mattie Kieffer of San Antonio and Josie Delbrail of Devine, who spent an enjoyable 4th and 5th here, left for California and its principal points of interest.

Messrs. Fritz and August Wipff of Del Rio were the guests of Leopold Zuercher and family.

Miss Hattie Zuercher left for Dunlap Sunday evening. C. Z.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

### For Representative 97 District.

We are authorized to announce H. P. HORNEY of Uvalde as a candidate for Representative 97th district, as the Democratic nominee.